

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of

Sunil Govindrao UTTARWAR et al.

Confirmation No.: 1979

Application No.: 10/565,736

Group Art No.: 1625

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Examiner: Nizal S. Chandrakumar

For: PRODUCT

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed January 16, 2008, Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-23 and 26-31, drawn to process of purifying citralopram.

The Applicants respectfully request withdrawal/modification of the Restriction Requirement.